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September 2006-Present National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, RTP, NC
*Biologist-Bioinformatics/Computational Biology Biostatistics and Computational Biology Branch
Head, Microarray and Genome Informatics Group Clarice Weinberg and Alison Motsinger-Reif*

September 2008-December 2008 Harvard School of Public Health, Cambridge, MA
*Assistant Professor Department of Biostatistics, Louise Ryan
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April 2000-September 2006 National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, RTP, NC
Staff Scientist Microarray Group, Cindy Afshari and Richard S. Paules

November 1998-April 2000 OAO Corporation, Durham, NC
Bioinformatics Scientist NIEHS Microarray Center, Hunter Robinson

June 1998-August 1998 SYNAPTIC, Paramus, NJ
Manager/Genome Analyst Automated DNA Sequencing, T.V. Venkatesh

April 1996-February 1998 NOVARTIS, RTP, NC
Scientist/Genome Analyst Automated DNA Sequencing, Steve Goff

August 1990-April 1996
Associate Scientist

SCHERING-PLOUGH, Kenilworth, NJ
Tumor Biology Department, Chandra Kumar

September 1986-August 1990 **COLLEGE of PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS of COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, Hammer Health Sciences Center New York, NY**
Technician *Human Genetics and Medicine, Arthur Bank and Maggie Allan*

HONORS AND AWARDS:

- University of Massachusetts-Amherst Distinguished Alumni, May 2015
- National Institutes of Health Award of Merit, NIEHS, 2000, 2001, 2003 & 2014
- National Institutes of Health Director's Award, NIH, Bethesda Maryland June 2002
- North Carolina State University, College of Agriculture & Life Sciences, Association for the Concerns of African American Graduate Students Academic Achievement Award, April 2005

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

- Member, Trans-NIH Biomedical Informatics Coordinating Committee, at the National Institutes of Health, Bethesda MD 2007 – 2017, Alternate representative 2018 - Present
- Member, Scientific Advisory Committee for the Carolina Environmental Bioinformatics Center, at the University of North Carolina- Chapel Hill. 2008 and 2009
- Adjunct Professor, Nicholas School of the Environment and Earth Science, Duke University, 2009 – 2010
- Journal associate editor for: Frontiers in Toxicogenomics, July 2011 – Present
- Advisory Board member for: OA Bioinformatics, January 2013 – Present
- Editorial Board member for: Mutation Research-Reviews, January 2017 – Present
- Adjunct Faculty, Department of Biological and Biomedical Sciences, School of Graduate Studies, North Carolina Central University, 2017 – Present
- Assembly of Scientists Council member for: NIEHS, 2017 - Present
- Advisory Board member for: Bioinformatics Research Center, North Carolina State University, 2018 – Present
- Adjunct Lecturer, Department of Biostatistics, T.H. Chan School of Public Health, Harvard University, 2019 – Present

Journal referee for:

Bioinformatics
BMC Bioinformatics
BMC Genomics
BMC Systems Biology
BMC Medical Genomics
Cancer Informatics

Genome Biology
PLoS Genetics and PLoS One
Physiological Genomics
Toxicological Sciences
Molecular and Cellular Probes
Bioinformatics and Biology Insights

Ph.D. Dissertation Committees:

Tia A. Hudson – North Carolina Central University, Bioinformatics, Genomics and Computational Chemistry, Department of Biological and Biomedical Sciences

“Bioinformatics integration of triple-negative breast cancer tumor genomic data” 2017-present

Matthew McElwee – Duke University, Nicholas School of the Environment and Earth Sciences, Integrated Toxicology and Environmental Health Program

“Molecular and Toxicological Responses to Mercuric and Methyl-Mercury” 2009-2010.

Lingkang Huang – North Carolina State University, Bioinformatics Program

“Variable Selection in Multiclass Support Vector Machine and Applications in Genomic Data Analysis”. 2004 – 2008.

Student Interns:

Kaitlin Klotz– M.S. student at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Bioinformatics, Summer 2018

Mia Burks– Undergraduate at St. Augustine University, Public Health, Summer 2013 – Spring 2014

Michael Falk– Undergraduate at Georgia Institute of Technology, Materials Sciences and Engineering, Summer 2013

Alexander Nordquist– Undergraduate at North Carolina State University, Chemical Engineering, Summer 2012

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Elo Leung– Ph.D. student at George Mason University, Bioinformatics and Computational Biology, Summers 2005 & 2006

Co-founder and co-organizer of the Toxicogenomics Integrated with Environmental Sciences (TIES) conferences:

2007 at North Carolina State University, Raleigh NC

2009 with the International Conference on Toxicogenomics in Seoul, South Korea

2011 at the University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill NC

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

- Toxicogenomics and systems toxicology
- Epigenetics and exonization of transposable elements
- Cancer genomics/signatures, miRNAs, UTR usage and alternative polyadenylation
- Genetical genomics/eQTLs and gene regulation
- Big data science analytics for knowledge discovery
- Mixed type data integration
- Sequence quality control
- Data modeling and algorithm development
- Database development for bioinformatics
- Software development for computational biology

PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS:

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Ramaiahgari SC, Auerbach SS, Saddler TO, Rice JR, Dunlap PE, Sipes NS, DeVito MJ, Shah RR, **Bushel PR**, Merrick BA, Paules RS, Ferguson SS. The Power of Resolution: Contextualized Understanding of Biological Responses to Liver Injury Chemicals using High-throughput Transcriptomics and Benchmark Concentration Modeling. *Toxicol Sci.* 2019 Mar 8; pii: kfz065

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Funderburk KM, Auerbach SS, **Bushel PR**. Crosstalk between Receptor and Non-receptor Mediated Chemical Modes of Action in Rat Livers Converges through a Dysregulated Gene Expression Network at Tumor Suppressor Tp53. *Front Genet.* 2017 Oct 24;8:157

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the tricarboxylic acid (TCA) cycle with methionine metabolism and nuclear DNA methylation. PLoS Biol. 2018 Apr 18;16(4):e2005707

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